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TITLE OF INVENTION: MOBILE DEVICE AND DISK DRIVE RESTRICTED FROM READING A DATA STORAGE ZONE IN A MOBILE ENVIRONMENT

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